



# Prairie Dog Press

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## DECEMBER DATES



- 12/3 Teacher Report Card Day—NO SCHOOL
- 12/10 School Board Mtg. at District Office @ 5:30
- 12/14 Winter Music Program  
3<sup>rd</sup> Grade @ 10:00 am  
2<sup>nd</sup> Grade @ 1:30 pm
- 12/19 Winter Parties
- 12/17-12/18 NO AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS
- 12/20 Winter Break Begins
- 1/2 School resumes

## Awesome Behavior!

- Our students continue to work hard on being safe, respectful, and responsible. When whole classes exhibits great behavior, they can earn a token. As a school we have set a goal of reaching 2,500 tokens. Guess what?! We have reached that goal! To celebrate this, we will be having a special movie day on November 30. All students are invited to come to the gym and relax with buddies while watching a fun movie. It's our way of recognizing our students' effort to be good citizens. Thank you, Prairie Dogs!

## PE News

This December marks a new trimester and with it a fresh set of activities in PE. Students will be learning throwing, catching, dribbling, and volleying skills. Ms. Winter is just wrapping up a net sport unit. She encourages kids to play catch with a friend or family member to get ready for this trimester's activities!

## Life Skill of the Month: INITIATIVE

Initiative is one of the most highly valued life skills in a community. It means, "I make good choices. I plan, make decisions, and follow through." This month, we will be on the lookout for students and staff who are displaying initiative by making sound decisions and acting on them!

The end of the day can be a busy time at our office. Please help us get information to your child in a timely manner by calling prior to 2:00 to make end of day arrangements.



The days are getting colder! And, unless it is really raining, we spend our recesses outside. Please remember to send your child to school in a cozy jacket. It is helpful to write your child's name in permanent marker, so that if (when!) the coat is left behind its owner can be easily identified.